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House Resolution 1968

By: Representatives Smith of the 70th, Richardson of the 19th, Burkhalter of the 50th, Keen of the 179th, Sheldon of the 105th, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Captain Al Wilson on the occasion of his retirement; and for
- 2 other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Captain Al Wilson has served the State of Georgia with honor and distinction
- 4 for more than 30 years and has announced his retirement in the near future; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Captain Wilson began his career in public service as a License Examiner with
- 6 the Department of Public Safety on May 16, 1974, and went on to serve as a Radio Operator
- 7 before being promoted to Trooper on June 1, 1981; and
- 8 WHEREAS, as a result of his great natural abilities and exemplary service, he rose steadily
- 9 through the ranks of the Department of Public Safety and the Department of Driver Services
- and was promoted to Captain in the latter department in December of 2000; and
- 11 WHEREAS, in September of 2001 he assumed his current position as Director of the Capitol
- 12 Police Division of the Department of Public Safety and in that capacity he has become a well
- 13 known and respected figure among the members of the General Assembly; and
- 14 WHEREAS, law enforcement is one of the most vital state government services, and Captain
- Wilson has rendered exemplary service in this crucial field throughout his long career.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 17 this body does hereby recognize and commend Captain Al Wilson, express its appreciation
- 18 for his many valuable and important contributions to the State of Georgia, and extend to him
- 19 all best wishes on the occasion of his retirement.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Captain Al Wilson.